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# The News-Scimitar

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## LEDOUX FINDS SOUP HUNTING IS DANGEROUS

BY CHARLES LEDOUX.  
Bantamweight Champion of Europe.  
(Written for International News Service.)

PARIS, May 12.—During my service in the infantry at the front I had, of course, many disagreeable experiences and even some startling adventures, but there was one which will always live in my memory because of its strangeness. Like many of my comrades, I have seen under terrific bombardments, lying in a flimsy shelter which could have been battered down by a single shell, and have been subjected to the awful fire of the mine-warfare. I have endured the nerve-racking waiting which preceded the attack.

But there was one experience which I can not forget in any of its details. We had been in a trench for three days. The sector, which was new to us, was comparatively quiet, but we had to wait through mud and water, and it was in January. One evening about five I was detailed with two comrades to go after the soup for the trench.

We had to go about half a mile behind the front line through communicating trenches filled with mud and water. The journey out and back would take three or four hours.

We reached the ravine where the soup was being distributed and after having filled our "dixies" with soup and taken a supply of wine and brandy we set out for the front line with the other men of our company. The night was pitch black. We stumbled against each other. Everybody was on edge. After a half hour we had reached a junction of two communicating trenches.

I figured that we couldn't be more than a couple of hundred meters from the front line. Suddenly we found ourselves face to face with an enormous pile of lumber and stone which the construction of the trench had decided to stay there a few minutes to find out exactly where we were. We had lost all sense of direction in the last few minutes.

We had been there not more than five seconds when there was a frightful explosion. I dropped right on top of the pile of lumber and stone. A minute or so I heard Bob's voice calling me. I lit my electric torch, velling the light with my hand. Then I saw that we had all fallen into an abandoned shelter which the last of the 18th had just opened up.

Nobody was hurt, but our section had no soup that night.

## GIRL, ON DARE, GETS PERSHING'S SIGNATURE

BOSTON, May 12. (By International News Service.)—A Boston girl got Gen. Pershing's autograph while he was in Boston. She did it on a dare from her classmates at Boston university and the commander of the A. E. F. doesn't even know the name of the proud possessor of his "John J. Pershing" written in pencil on the back of some shorthand notes.

She attended the reception to ex-service men at the Cadet armory, and was one of the few girls to shake hands with Gen. Pershing. As the general was making his exit the girl made her way up to him and asked his autograph.

"I haven't got much time, but when you ask me in such a pressing way I can't very well refuse," he said, taking the stubby yellow pencil and sheet of paper she proffered.

## RING LOST YEAR FOUND RING NECK OF DEAD RAT

FAIRMONT, W. Va., May 6. (By International News Service.)—Miss Madge Kennedy, 11-year-old daughter of Benjamin Kennedy, of near here, lost a ring last spring while feeding pigs. The other day her father found a dead rat with the ring around its neck. The rat had died of strangulation. The ring evidently had slipped over the rodent's head while it was small and slowly choked it as it grew.

## PEEVISH PATRON HELD PRISONER IN PHONE BOOTH

NEW YORK, May 12. (By International News Service.)—It took the combined efforts of two subway track walkers, armed with crowbars, a traffic policeman and a score or more of Staten Island commuters to pry Henry Rose, a honey dealer, of Richmond Hill, L. I., out of a telephone booth at the municipal ferry house here after he had exhausted his patience trying to get a wire connection with his home.

Rose spent 45 steaming, wrathful minutes in the booth and, from the drift of his comments, when released, the session didn't improve his opinion of the telephone company and its service and accommodations in a single particular.

From his own stirring account of his experience, it seems that Rose, when he finally got his number and finished his conversation, found that the door to the booth had become stuck. He hanged and kicked with all his force, but passengers hurrying through the room or lounging about waiting for

a boat, merely glanced in the direction of the uproar and smiled knowingly. "He thinks he'll make 'em return his nickel," they told one another—the waiting room wise ones did. "Well, more power to his good right arm." In desperation, Rose, fed another nickel into the voracious slot and, he seethed the operator, when he got his—telephone somebody else in the vicinity to please come get him out. The operator merely laughed and resumed telling her elbow switch companion what "he says to me" and "I says to him." Rose could hear them, but he declined to become interested.

Finally somebody got the impression that there was something more than a heated conversation with a biased telephone operator in progress in the booth and came to the imprisoned man's aid. Traffic Policeman Evans, Roth was called in and repeated onslaughts were made on the stout door without success. Somebody finally hurried to the subway, marshaled two track walkers with crowbars, and in the course of time Rose was pried out.

## Rheumatism

Is completely washed out of the system by the secreted Shinar Mineral Water. Positively guaranteed by money-back plan. Taste fine, costs a trifle. Delivered anywhere by our Memphis agents, Oliver-Elliott Co. Phone time, adv.

Women say La-may stays on better than any other face powder.

Up to the present time it has been almost impossible to get a face powder to stay on the face longer than it takes to put it on. You powder your nose nicely, and the first gust of wind or the first puff of your handkerchief, and away goes the powder! leaving your nose shiny and conspicuous, probably just at the very moment when you would give anything to appear at your best. A specialist has at last perfected a pure powder that really stays on; that stays on until you wash it off. It does not contain white lead or starch or rice powder to make it stay on. This improved formula contains a medicinal powder doctors prescribe to improve the complexion. In fact, this powder helps to prevent and reduce enlarged pores

and irritations. It is also astringent, discouraging flabbiness, crow's-feet and wrinkles. This unusual powder is called, La-may (French, Poudre L'Ame). Because La-may is pure and because it stays on so well it is already used by over a million American women. All dealers carry the large sixty-cent box, and many dealers also carry the generous thirty-cent size. When you use this harmless powder and see how beautifully it improves your complexion you will understand why La-may so quickly became the most popular beauty powder sold in New York. There is also a wonderful La-may Talcum that sells for only thirty cents. Herbert Roy-stone, 16 East 18th St., New York, adv.

## WALSH SAYS:

We have solved the hot weather clothes problem—

"Newport" is a silky looking and feeling fabric that we get from Bradford, England.

It is as thin as Mohair or Palm Beach, but tailors and holds its shape like a heavy weight.

It's a worsted—and is positively the best looking, coolest and most serviceable summer suiting in the world.

That covers a lot of territory, but you know this house is not given to making extravagant claims.

It's the suit without a laundry bill.

**Walsh**  
The Tailor

83 South Main St.

## PIG WITH 3 EYES AND TWO SNOTS PUZZLES FARMERS

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 12. (By International News Service.)—Mrs. Ida B. Ess, of Batavia, has a little pig that is attracting unusual attention from farmers and others. The pig has three eyes, two snouts, and two tongues.

He can see with all three eyes and can squeal out of both throats, and all at the same time. This wonder is one of a litter of 11 pigs. There is every indication that the freak will live.

## COUNTY RECORDS SHOW LAND LEFT TO "JESUS"

MEXICO, Mo., May 12. (By International News Service.)—According to Randolph county records one hundred and sixty acres of land near here were bequeathed to Jesus Christ 20 years ago. The deed was made by John Wright and wife, because they believed it their duty to return to the Lord the material goods with which he had blessed them.

The lawful heirs continue to live on the land since the death of the Wrights holding it in trust.

## ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insert in "Bayer" Tablets of Aspirin in a "Bayer" package, containing proper directions for colds, flu, headache, neuralgia, lumbago and rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuineness. Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 3 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trademark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monrovia, California, of Solingen, Germany.

The next time you buy calomel ask for

**calotabs**

The purified and refined calomel tablets that are

nauseless, safe and sure.

Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

for the young man Our Suits are very Smartly Styled



New Shirts and Neckwear

See Our Large Line of All the Latest Straw Hats, \$3.50 and Up

**Johnston & Vance Co.**

51 SOUTH MAIN STREET

If It Comes From Johnston & Vance It Must Be Good

## Men's White Canvas and Nile Cloth Oxfords

It is to be wondered how we can afford to give such good styles and values for so little money. We figure on selling a great many—hence the close price. Per pair, \$6.00 to \$8.00.

## Nettleton's Genuine White Buck Brogue Oxfords

A Nettleton shoe hardly needs a recommendation. These brogue oxfords are dandies. We are justified in saying that such shoes can only be found here. No other shoe store in Memphis attempts to show the styles we do. Per pair, \$22.50. Federal tax, \$1.25. First Floor.



## One-Eye Ties In White Linen

What is more popular for summer wear than a white linen one-eye tie? What gives more lasting satisfaction? Here are some tried so reasonably as to make a wise choice. Turn soles and high covered Louis heels. Per pair, \$2.00. Others with Baby Louis heels, two pair, \$4.00.

## In White Ooze Calf

The unadorned leather gives them a charming appearance. The comfort they give is also to be considered. Made with turn soles and high covered Louis heels, and high covered Louis heels, with front straps, same in the same leather and the price is no different. Per pair, \$12.50. Federal tax, 35c. First Floor.

## LADIES' FASHIONABLE OXFORDS

### In White Linen

These white linen oxfords are about the best-looking ones you ever saw for this moderate price; they have high covered Louis and baby Louis heels; wonderfully good looking shoes at \$8.00 per pair.

### In White Kid

White kid oxfords, made over one of the best-looking, neat-fitting lasts ever conceived of finest materials; high covered Louis heels; all sizes and widths, priced at \$13.00 per pair; 30c federal tax.

First Floor.

Pumps for Every Occasion



Pumps at Better Prices

## In White Kid—In White Calf—In White Linen

Everyone always has need for plain pumps, and these of white kid are very desirable; made over a neat-fitting last, with turn soles, high arch and high covered Louis heels; priced at \$11.00 per pair. Federal tax 25c.

These white colonial pumps are designed especially for growing feet; they are fashioned of white calf leather, with turn soles and Baby Louis heels; good values at \$11.00 per pair; 10c Federal tax. First Floor.

White linen strip pumps always win favor with women of fashion; these are made over good fitting lasts with turn soles, high arch and extra high covered Louis heels; \$7.00 to \$8.00 per pair. Same style with Baby Louis heels at same price.

## BARGAIN BASEMENT PUMPS

Here are some of the most remarkable values you ever heard of—women's and growing girls' pumps, oxfords and one-eye ties; made over good-looking, neat-fitting lasts, with high Louis, baby French, Cuban and flat heels; you can buy them Friday at \$3.50 to \$5.00 per pair.

ENOUGH SIZES AND STYLES—PLUS A GUARANTEE—TO SATISFY EVERYONE

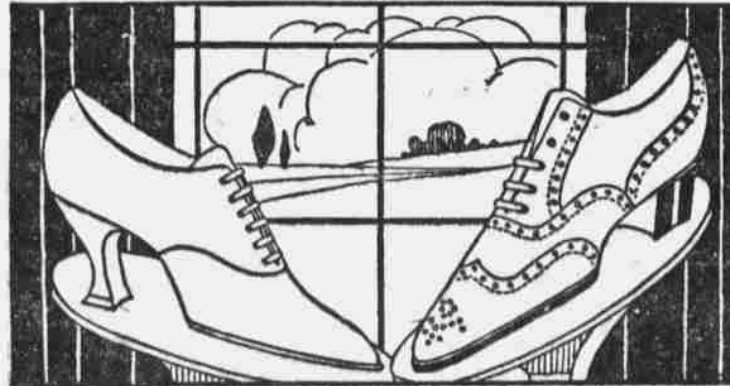


## Exceptional Values in Oxfords and Ties

Everyone Has Been Awaiting This Announcement of

## The White Shoe Store of Memphis

Start the Summer Season Right. After All You Want to Be Fitted—You Want to Make a Pick of the Season's Up-to-Date Styles—and You Want to Save Money. That Is the Purpose of This Showing



## White Sport Oxfords

### In White Linen

Something right smart to begin the season with. They are really worth a great deal more. Fashioned with black calf trimmings and low flat white leather heels. Per pair, \$11.00. Federal tax, 10c.

### In White Kid

Do you like a sporty looking Oxford? Then this one will please you. It is somewhat better than the average shoe you meet. White leather soles, 14-8 leather Cuban heels and stitched tip. Per pair, \$15.00. Federal tax, 50c.

### In White Linen

If you cannot make up your mind as to what Oxford to buy, we can show you plenty to choose from. Despite remarkably low prices these Oxfords will give long service. Many style lasts with one-inch heels to 14-8 leather and covered Cuban heels. Made as good as shoes are made. Per pair, \$6.00 to \$8.00.

## In Genuine White Buckskin

There is nothing more trim looking, more fine and comfortable than genuine white buckskin. Besides they clean well and always look new. Welt sole, imitation straight tip, perforated foxing, high grade. Per pair, \$14.00. Federal tax 40c. First Floor.



## Don't Forget the Children

### Misses' White Canvas Pumps

Your girls will jump for joy when she sees these pumps. They are really very cute. Turn sole and white covered heels, sizes 11 1/2 to 2. Per pair, \$4.50.

### Boys' and Girls' White Linen Oxfords

Little kids and lassies want to wear the same kind of shoes like their ma and pa wear. They can run around in these Oxfords and won't hurt them any. Welt sole and white kid tops, sizes 5 to 8, \$3.00; sizes 8 1/2 to 11, \$3.50; sizes 11 1/2 to 2, \$3.75.

### Infants' and Children's Strap Slippers

Oh, the kiddies will look darling in these strap slippers, and they are convenient to slip on—good for the feet—and mighty cheap. Made with turn and welt soles, prices according to size, per pair, \$2.00 to \$4.00. First Floor.